STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

HUXLEY COMMUNICATIONS COOPERATIVE, f/k/a HUXLEY COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE COMPANY DOCKET NO. TCU-00-63

ORDER RECOGNIZING CORPORATE NAME CHANGE AND ISSUING AMENDED CERTIFICATE

(Issued July 23, 2001)

On March 23, 2001, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order approving the application of Huxley Cooperative Telephone Company (HCTC) to offer local exchange service in the exchanges of Cambridge, Slater, and Elkhart, located in the service territory of Iowa Telecommunications Services, Inc, d/b/a Iowa Telecom. The application was identified as Docket No. TCU-00-63. The Board had originally granted HCTC a certificate of convenience and necessity, Certificate No. 0068, to provide local exchange service on September 29, 1992, and an amended certificate on July 13,1994, to provide local exchange service in the Huxley and Kelley exchanges.

On July 3, 2001, HCTC filed a request to amend its certificate to reflect a change in the company's name. HCTC stated that by vote of its members on March 31, 2001, HCTC had changed its corporate name to Huxley Communications Cooperative (Huxley Communications).

The Board will recognize the change in the corporate name of HCTC to Huxley Communications. The recognition of the name change will not affect the obligation of

the company to file proposed tariffs for Board approval before offering service in the Cambridge, Slater, and Elkhart exchanges. The proposed tariffs will now be filed under the name Huxley Communications Cooperative and should be filed in Docket No. TCU-00-63. The Board will issue an amended certificate concurrently with this order reflecting the name change.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- The Board recognizes the corporate name change from Huxley
 Cooperative Telephone Company to Huxley Communications Cooperative
- 2. At the time Huxley Communications Cooperative files proposed tariffs to provide containing the terms, rates, and conditions for local exchange service in the Cambridge, Slater, and Elkhart exchanges, it must give notice to all affected local exchange carriers. Service in the three exchanges cannot be provided until the proposed tariffs are approved. The Board will issue an amended certificate of convenience and necessity at the time it approves the proposed tariffs.
- 3 An amended Certificate No. 0068 will be issued concurrently with this order.

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/s/ Allan T. Thoms /s/ Diane Munns ATTEST: /s/ Judi K. Cooper Acting Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of July, 2001.